



6 sessions  
of

8.5 hours  
spread out

1 year

# GESEA Training Sessions

(Level 1 & 2)

GYNECOLOGY AND OBSTETRICS DIVISION

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Official Accredited Training Center

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The SFITS is a GESEA accredited center since 2024 and hosts 6 practical sessions, combining GESEA modules with specific laparoscopic hands-on on organic material.



The GESEA (Gynaecological Endoscopic Surgical Education and Assessment) program is a structured training program in gynaecological endoscopy, designed to ensure the acquisition of essential knowledge and the certification of practical skills necessary for surgical competence.

Acquiring a GESEA Level 2 Certification is an ISFM requirement for obtaining a diploma in obstetrics and gynecology. The SFITS is now an ESGE-accredited training center. It offers high quality training before the certification exam.



More about GESEA

## Objectives

- Comprehensive approach to minimally invasive laparoscopic surgery
- Introduction to basic surgical techniques
- Dissemination of simulation techniques in laparoscopic surgery
- Optimization of safety in the operating room

## Schedule

1	26.03.2026	<b>Laparoscopic anatomy</b>	08:00 - 16:45
2	23.04.2026	<b>Equipment, set-up, ergonomics, energies</b>	08:00 - 16:45
3	07.05.2026	<b>Laparoscopic learning mode</b>	08:00 - 16:45
4	04.06.2026	<b>Gynecological emergencies: Adnexal torsion and ectopic pregnancy</b>	08:00 - 16:45
5	24.09.2026	<b>Myomectomy</b>	08:00 - 16:45
6	10.12.2026	<b>Adnexal masses</b>	08:00 - 16:45



6 practical sessions

### LASTT

- Laparoscopic Skills Training and Testing, is designed to measure 3 practical laparoscopic psychomotor skills: the ability of the person to navigate the camera, to handle the 30° optic and to identify required targets.

### SUTT

- Suturing and Knot Tying Training and Testing, consists of a series of tests on stitching and knotting to train and test the quality level of needle handling, stitching, tissue approximation and knotting.

### HYSTT

- Hysteroscopic Skills Training and Testing, is designed for training and testing of the hysteroscopic psychomotor skills: the ability of a person to navigate the camera, to handle the 30° optic and the ability to handle hysteroscopic tools.

## Agenda

08:05 - 08:30	GESEA Introduction
08:30 - 10:30	LASTT module (GESEA)
10:30 - 11:00	Break
11:00 - 11:15	Theory (laparoscopic suture)
11:15 - 12:30	SUTT module (GESEA)
12:30 - 13:30	Lunch
13:30 - 14:00	Theory (specific topic)
14:00 - 15:30	HYSTT module (GESEA)
15:30 - 15:45	Pause
15:45 - 16:45	Specific Hands-on exercises on pelvic-trainers and organic parts



## Registration

Fees per day

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- CHF 50.- deposit\* for HUG residents
  - CHF 300.- for external participants
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*This includes catering services and pedagogical material.*

*\* The deposit terms&conditions are available on SFITS Calendar course page.*

Max. 10 participants

## Languages

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- French
  - English
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## Location

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- Participants are invited to register on SFITS Calendar to download their personal QR code before joining the course. Registration is mandatory for everyone (including HUG residents).
- Please note that the number of places is limited and registrations will be taken on a first-come, first-served basis. Once the maximum number of participants has been reached, a waiting list will be opened. You will be contacted in order of arrival.

